

INTEROFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

DATE: October 13, 1994

TO: J. D. Thompson, Logistics, Building 334, X6269

FROM: B. A. Troutman, Solar Pond Projects, Building 080, X8588/D0102 

SUBJECT: STORAGE OF OPERABLE UNIT FOUR WASTE SOLIDIFICATION EQUIPMENT -
BAT-040-94

Action(s): None Required

DOE Order: 4700.1

References (a) S. R. Keith memorandum to J. D. Thompson; *Storage of Operable Unit Four Waste Solidification Equipment*, SRK-098-94 dated May 16, 1994.

Reference (a) requested that Property Utilization and Disposal store several pieces of Operable Unit Four (OU 4) waste solidification process train equipment for a period of up to fifteen (15) months. I have forwarded separately to Property Management (Colleen M. Hirsch) some twenty-eight (28) Equipment Storage Forms (RF-46636) that represent equipment that has been moved to the storage yard on the northwest side of the plant (in the vicinity of the firing range).

As was described in reference (a), this process train equipment was originally constructed for EG&G Rocky Flats, Inc. by the Halliburton NUS (HNUS) Corporation. Some or all of this equipment may prove useful in a redesigned process train that is currently under development. The engineering design should be completed by May 1995. At that point, a determination can be made as to which pieces of the HNUS process train can be effectively used, and which pieces can be turned over to Property Utilization and Disposal for disposition.

Solar Pond Projects believes that it is in the best interest of the government to store, vice dispose of, this equipment, which is valued at approximately \$28M (burdened cost for design and construction). Considerable savings could be realized by using equipment that has been designed specifically for the purpose of solidifying waste materials from the Solar Evaporation Ponds. Solar Pond Projects requests that all of the process train equipment that has been moved to the northwest storage yard be designated as "equipment held for future projects" until such time as final disposition can be made. Solar Pond Projects intends to expeditiously excess and dispose of any equipment that will not fit into the redesigned process train as soon as that determination is made.

Thank you very much for your attention to this matter.

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